

# The Didsbury Pioneer

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Gregor Piatigorsky tests his 1712 by the Nazis in Paris in 1942 and Stradivarius' cello which was recently returned to him in New York. The instrument was stolen to New York to return it to him.

## South West Didsbury

(From Our Own Correspondent)

We are sorry to hear Mrs. M. Dippel is confined to her bed and we all wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hippkin and Pat were Friday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Befus and family.

Mrs. Fred Befus went to Edmonton to visit her daughter, Maryian, for a few days.

Miss Janet Blair of Red Deer was a Wednesday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. E. Dippel. In the evening Mrs. Jake Penner and family were visitors.

Neighbors will be pleased to hear Mrs. Jess Tuglie is up and around again.

Congratulations to Mr. John Tritsch who celebrated his birthday Friday. Mr. and Mrs. C. Eckstrand held a skating party for him with his family. Mr. and Mrs. J. Tritsch and family of Madden, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Klinck, Mr. Geo. Chaffin and sons and Mr. R. Eckstrand.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dippel and family were yesterday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ekstrand and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Eckstrand visited Mrs. George Chaffin in Olds hospital on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards and family visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dickau and wife, Dorothy, Douglas Kenneth.

Mr. Jack Meyers of Edmonton visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyers over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartz and Arlene were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. G. Morgan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bartsch were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. George Meyer.

## MRS. NICHOLL HOSTESS TO KNOX UNITED W.M.S.

Thirteen members and friends met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. F. Nicholl for the monthly meeting of the W.M.S. of Knox United Church.

Mrs. S. Devine gave the Devotional and Mrs. J. Wordie the study. During the evening Mr. C. Armstrong, on behalf of the members, invited Mrs. Reid Clarke with a sterling bracelet for her new daughter, Heather Clarke.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Nicholl served lunch and a social hour was enjoyed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. S. Devine.

## C.P.R. TRAIN TIMES AT DIDSURB

NORTHBOUND  
No. 521—Flag stop) 1:29 a.m. daily.  
No. 527—10:01 a.m. (Flag stop) Sun days only.  
No. 526—11:21 daily except Sunday.  
No. 528—6:21 p.m. daily.

SOUTHBOUND:  
No. 522—4:59 a.m. daily.  
No. 524—12:23 Noon daily.  
No. 526—4:58 p.m. daily except Sunday.  
No. 527—6:21 p.m. (Flag stop) Sun days only.

## Westcott News

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. John Bogner and family, which included Mr. and Mrs. Bogner, their daughter and son-in-law, all of Calgary, spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. Bogner and Mr. and Mrs. A. Baudet and family.

We are pleased to hear Mrs. C. Topping is feeling better again after very sick at her home here.

Mrs. Allen Kongshul, Westcott's teacher, held a skating party at the rink on Friday night to commemorate the Valentine Day coming up.

A large crowd of parents and preschool children and friends joined with the school children to enjoy themselves in this way. Everyone reported having a really good time.

Mrs. Herbert Goetzen accompanied Mrs. L. Sanderson and Mr. G. Brown to Sundre on Wednesday of last week where they attended Mr. Romyn's funeral.

The weather having turned colder and good ice in the offing at the Westcott rink, another fine afternoon's skating was enjoyed by young and old alike on Sunday last.

The ladies of the district donated pies that were sold along with coffee, all helping to make the day such a success.

The community club wish to thank all those who donated pies as it certainly helped to swell the coffers.

## Scouts Receive Queen's Badges

At a joint Scout meeting held in Lions hall Tuesday, Feb. 9, two members of the 1st Didsbury Troop were presented with Queen's badges.

Mr. S. H. Holloway of Edmonton, provincial executive commissioner. The two lads were Bill Burke and Bob Bussard.

Approximately 65 Scouts and friends were in attendance including members of 1st and 2nd Didsbury Troops, Carstairs, Airdrie and Westcott Troops.

The 2nd Canadian Jamboree film was shown as well as a film on forest conservation.

The Jamboree film was well received and all should stimulate interest in Scouting and a desire to attend the Jamboree in Niagara-on-the-Lake in August, 1955.

Mr. Holloway spoke of the great necessity of attaining a high level of proficiency to be eligible to attend the big event. Scouts must either attain first class or Queen Scout levels to be in the running for the trip.

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## ELECTRIFICATION ASSOC. MEET FEBRUARY 27TH

The regular annual meeting of the West Didsbury Rural Electrification Association will be held on Saturday, Feb. 27 at 2 p.m. in the Lions Hall, Didsbury.

Other members of the rink are Mrs. Marvel McCoy, Mrs. Nellie Roberts and Mrs. Janet Kimmel.

## IRIS H. GILLRIE WINS IN CURLING PLAYDOWNS

The district playdowns in the Ladies' T. Eaton curling competition were held here Friday with results as follows:

Didsbury entry, with Mrs. Harvey Gillrie as skip, was successful in winning the event over entries from Carstairs, Airdrie and Kathryn in the Southern Alberta section of playdowns.

Other members of the rink are Mrs. Marvel McCoy, Mrs. Nellie Roberts and Mrs. Janet Kimmel.

## Ponoka Edges Ramblers In Games Played Here

### OLDE ELKS PLAY HERE THIS WEEK

With the arrival in the Central Alberta Hockey League come to a close, Olds Elks make their last appearances of the season here on Wednesday and Saturday of this week. The northerners have shown their heels to the locals in their last two outings and Ramblers will be out to redeem themselves.

### Plans Underway For Winter Carnival

Committees in charge of the Lions Club annual Winter Carnival are lining things up for the big event which will be held Friday, Feb. 26th.

There will be many feature events, including the Lions Club Boys and Girls band of Calgary; Mrs. F. Owens and her baton swinging girls from Olds and Miss Mae Ringholt and her group will be featured. The gopher drill will be a highlight.

There will be the usual races and costume events and it is hoped there will be time for public skating.

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Didsbury Ramblers didn't last long in the Provincial Intermediate "A" playoffs but they let their opponents know they had been in a series.

After absorbing a humiliating 10-3 defeat at Ponoka in the first game, they roared back here Saturday night and were barely edged 3-2 by the power-laden Stampeders.

Melnichuk in the visitors' net was the big stumbling block as he kicked out many drives that had goal written all over them.

Smith and Devine punched home the local counters and Ken Papke played a stand-out game in the net as he held Ponoka at bay when his defence lagged a times.

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When the new offices and workshop of the Stratford Shakespearean Festival Foundation were officially opened in Stratford, Ont., this portrait of Alec Guinness, as Richard III, was unveiled by John Coppin, who painted it. Shown here are Mr. Coppin and Dr. H. A. Showalter, president of the foundation.

## Harmattan News

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. J. H. Wiper left last week for Vancouver for a visit.

Mr. Warren Conrad was a recent patient in the Olds hospital.

St. George's W.A. met at the home of Mrs. George Fagan on Monday evening.

Meeting to be held at St. George's Anglican Church, Sunday, Feb. 21. Canon Morgan officiating.

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NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named, JENS FREDERICK ADMUSSEN, who died on the 12th day of April, A.D. 1953 are required to file with the undersigned by the 24th day of March, A.D. 1954, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrators will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

DATED this 29th day of January, A.D. 1954.

SANDFORD & DICKIE,  
Solicitors for the  
Administrators,  
512 Lancaster Building,  
Calgary, Alberta. 6-3c**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The partnership which has hitherto existed between us will be dissolved as of the 28th of February, 1954.

We shall continue to practise in Didsbury.

At such time as Dr. R. E. McKenzie acquires new offices in Didsbury we shall each practise our profession separately in the premises which we at present occupy, which are owned by Dr. Asquith.

It is requested that accounts owing to the partnership be paid before the end of this month. Didsbury, Alberta, 1st February, 1954.

RAYMOND ASQUITH  
R. E. MCKENZIE

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Rev. A. J. Moore, Pastor  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11:30 p.m.—Morning Worship.  
8:00 p.m.—Evening Services.  
Youth Fellowship services held in the evening of the first and third Sunday of the month.

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Rev. A. J. Gramm, P. Stor  
SUNDAY SERVICES:  
10:30 a.m.: Worsip Service.  
11:30 a.m.: Sunday School.  
2:00 p.m.: Sunday School.  
4:00 p.m.: Church Service.  
7:30 p.m.: Evening Service.

Wednesday Evening: 8:00 p.m.  
Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.  
Thursday Evening: 8:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice.

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Rev. Ray Shantz, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.  
Preaching, 11:30 a.m.  
Sunday evening service, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday evening prayer meeting, at 8 p.m.

Young Peoples' service every alternate Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF NAZARENE  
HARMATTAN**

10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
8:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8 p.m.  
Friday N.Y.P.S. .... 8 p.m.

REV. J. WATSON, Pastor

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**UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**

Rev. C. C. Armstrong, B.A., B.D.

Westdale (2nd and 4th Sunday) ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Knox Sunday School ..... 11:00 a.m.  
Westcott ..... 11:30 a.m.  
Knox Evening Worship ..... 7:45 p.m.

**ANGLICAN MISSION OF OLDS**

**SUNDAY SERVICES**  
Sunday School, 11 a.m. every Sunday.  
Second Sunday in the month: 7:30 p.m. — Didsbury.  
Fourth Sunday in the month: 11:45 a.m. — Didsbury.

**FARM PRICES SOFT**  
A trend toward declining prices could continue this year in hogs and possibly eggs, says the head of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture. Cattle prices, according to the report, are likely to remain low for the next several years.

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## Speculating In Wheat

Wheat is harvested once a year. Bread is eaten every day. The bread we eat today is probably made from wheat grown in 1962 or earlier.

Somebody had to own that wheat from the time it was harvested till it found its way into the hands of the consumers.

It costs money to own wheat and to hold it. In addition to the cost of storage, insurance and interest on money borrowed, there is always the risk that the price might slump and the owner might have to sell at a loss.

Of course there is also the possibility that the price might go up, in which case the holder would make a profit.

But the risk is great, so great that those who are in the grain business and know it best, feel that they should not take one

Farmers deliver wheat to the elevators when it suits their convenience to do so. They generally sell for cash. When the elevator companies buy grain from the farmers they know it will be weeks or even months before they can deliver that grain on a market when it can be sold for cash.

Who will take the risk of owning it in the meantime? Not anyone in the grain trade. Only the speculator will do it.

In the open market where trading is allowed, the speculator will buy grain for future delivery, making out a marginal payment and undertaking to pay the balance when the grain is delivered to him at the time agreed upon.

This relieves the elevator companies of the risk of price fluctuations while the grain is in its possession. In exchange, the elevator companies sell the grain when they buy it, and sell it for delivery at the time they figure they can get it onto the market.

All milling wheat finds its way to the millers. But the millers don't buy wheat every day. They buy when it is most convenient. The same is true of the exporters who buy to sell in other countries.

Who furnishes the market when the farmers want to sell and neither millers nor exporters want to buy? It is the speculators. They buy for future delivery, knowing

that the millers will be buying again later on and they hope to make a profit when that time comes.

Thus the speculator furnishes a market for the farmers' grain when nobody else is interested in buying it. What does he get out of it?

Sometimes he makes a profit; sometimes he takes a loss. Always he gets the excitement that every gambler gets out of the game he is playing. But repeated investigations of the grain market have revealed the fact that, speaking broadly, the speculators lose more than they gain. The service they render the farmer in providing a market for his wheat when no one else is buying, is rendered at a loss to themselves.

Thus all this is what happens in the open market. We have no open market today and no speculators; yet the farmers seem able to sell their wheat through the Wheat Board just as easily as they did under the open market.

In closing the market and compelling all farmers to sell through the Wheat Board we have eliminated the speculators; but we have not eliminated the risk. The price of wheat still fluctuates; but the fluctuations are not reported in the papers, nor is each farmer told what his grain sold for.

The board does not buy the farmer's wheat. It acts as his agent and sells it for him. When he delivers it to the elevator he is given an initial payment and a promise of final settlement when the season's operations are completed.

But when making the initial payment the Board always holds back enough of the value of the wheat to take care of any price jump that might occur later on.

Thus it is able to make the farmers themselves carry the risk of fluctuations. And it does this in such a way that the farmers don't know it is being done.

— The Rural Scene

Lone Pine W.I.  
February Meeting

The Lone Pine W.I. held their February meeting at the home of Mrs. Floyd Ahigrim with 21 members and four visitors present. Roll call was answered by "Pet Peeve." The most popular "peeve" seemed to be the way some patrons used the rural telephones.

Mrs. Chris Elbert and Mrs. Owen Milne were nominated to attend the eighth bi-annual conference of district III South to be held in Drumheller, March 11 and 12.

A group shipment of used woolen and cotton goods is to be made up to be sent to Fairfield's. It is hoped that the premium received can be used for Institute work.

Mrs. A. Brander gave a very interesting citizenship report on the life and work of Mdm. Pandit of India.

Mrs. J. Underhay held the "bit of fun" which was writing a valentine verse and Mrs. Orville Schneider was the winner. Mrs. Alberta Milne won the 10-cent draw.

Plans were made to hold the postponed Old Time dance of February 26. Five dollars was donated to the Canadian Legion Polio Fund.

to remain in Penticton where he will devote a great deal of his time to his activities with the United Church there. Mr. Hilliard has served with the church board for a number of years and was formerly an officer in the A.O.T.S. He is a member of the Penticton Board of Trade.

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**Through The Study Window**

By REV. C. C. ARMSTRONG

From time to time various organizations resort to some method of gambling in order to raise funds. Sometimes these are for charitable purposes, recreational or otherwise. The better motors resort to these methods because they have found that more money comes in where some prize is offered, and the winner determined by chance.

The House of Commons is contemplating an amendment to the Criminal Code so as to legalize the holding of lotteries and sweepstakes, presumably for the benefit of hospitals and charities.

Would our local hospital benefit from such a scheme of financing? Well, hardly. The Irish hospital sweepstake turns over only 12% of its gross income for hospitals and the rest goes for promotion. In 1953, if there was a \$10,000,000.00 raised in Toronto for the Irish hospital had been raised by a lottery on the same scale as the Irish Hospital Lottery, it would mean raising \$128,000,000.00. We cannot possibly finance our hospitals by raising eight times as much as we raise now. It is time to give serious support to a proposal, which if applied to the new school in Didsbury, would ask people to contribute enough money to build seven more of the same size, scattered at appropriate intervals through the town, but only one of which would be used.

The Criminal Code opposes gambling, but does make provision for raffles for charitable or religious purposes. The following churches, in the Canadian Council of Churches, are opposed to this exception principle of gambling.



and wish it repealed. The Church of England, Canada, the Baptist Federation of Canada, The Church of Christ (Disciples), the Evangelical United Brethren Church, the Presbyterian Church in Canada, The Reformed Episcopal Church, the United Church of Canada, the Salvation Army, the Society of Friends, and affiliated meetings, the Royal Canadian Legion, the Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A., and the Student Christian Movement. In addition to these churches in the Canadian Council of Churches there are many others, not in the council, also opposed to this provision.

Just to indicate what the law states, to which the churches take exception, here it is: Section 236, "raffles for prizes of small value at any bazaar held for any charitable or religious object, if permission to hold the same has been obtained from the city or municipal council, or from the mayor, reeve, or other chief officer of the town or municipality wherein such bazaar is held, and the articles raffled thereof have first been offered for sale and none of them are of a value exceeding fifty dollars." Not only do they oppose this provision, but the whole principle of gambling.

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**Annual Meeting Of M.D., February 20th**

The annual statements of the Municipal District of Mountain View are in the hands of ratepayers and it is important to check over the year's work.

Mountain View M.D. shows an increasing operation with \$1,152,170.00 being shown under receipts and payments. The municipality ended up the year with \$44,359.59 in the bank and cash holdings, after starting the year with a balance of \$73,242.96.

Education came in for a large share of the tax money with requisitions amounting to \$364,944.72 Public works accounted for \$239,158.10.

The municipality collected in taxes \$712,820.25, over \$100,000.00 which was in arrears. The Municipal Assistance Act, provided \$34,489.98 and road grants \$63,229.00 Loans of \$100,000 were made.

Reserve for uncollectable taxes was set at \$3,000 but actual uncollected taxes for the current year were \$184,559.8. With taxes on foreclosed property and prior years' arrears at \$82,637.80, the total uncollected taxes at Dec. 31, stood at \$267,597.33.

This tax picture however, leaves by the fact that last year the municipality collected \$190,418.00 on uncollected taxes of over \$265,000.00. If the same amount of arrears are made early this year then the uncollected tax picture can be considerably brighter.

Capital expenditures provided out of revenue for 1953 accounted for \$40,695.00.

One of the pictures which is bound to come up but which may have a more reasonable explanation is the amount of repair bills on road equipment inventory of \$234,000. The repair item under payables for machinery repairs is shown as \$85,418.24. How much is sales tax and other duties is impossible to say.

An amount of \$51,134.46 was over-expended on public works above the allocation budgeted for. This may be due to emergency repairs.

The annual meeting of the municipality will be held on Saturday, 20th at Crossfield, and all ratepayers are asked to make a special effort

**WESTERDALE NEWS**

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Nineteen persons attended the annual meeting party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jackson last Tuesday evening. Miss Dorothy Hunt and Mr. A. Jones were high scorers. Consolations went to Miss Greta Kershaw and Mr. Allen Roeth.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Westerdale Young People's Club will be held at the hall on March 1 at 9 p.m. It is hoped that the attendance will be large.

The Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. W. Herbert last Wednesday evening with 11 members present. The meeting opened with a song, followed by the creed.

A roll call was answered with misprints in a newspaper. A letter was read from Mrs. Mason in England.

Silver coffee spoons were presented to Mrs. W. Herbert and Mrs. J. E. Boles for their efforts.

A discussion took place as to making a quilt for the Harmatian Guild. A motion was passed that the club purchase the necessary materials and supply the quilt for the above guild for \$16.

A motion was passed that \$5.00 be donated to the Olds Rest Room.

It was agreed that the club would sew a quilt for the Coburn organization for \$5.00.

Mrs. J. P. Schrader offered her home for a crokinole party on Feb. 23.

Whist will be played at the home of Mrs. J. Cowie.

Mrs. Ben Kershaw won the tea money hostess prize. The March 10 meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Kershaw.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Jackson motored to Edmonton with Mr. and Mrs. S. Murphy on Tuesday.

Don't forget the dance at the hall Friday evening with the Merry-makers orchestra.

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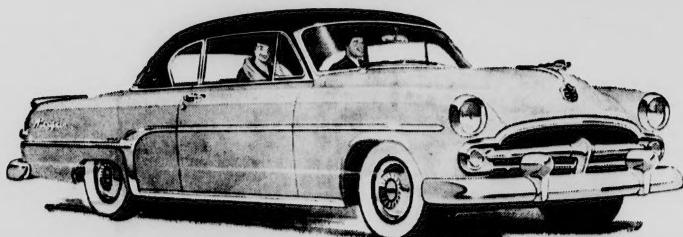
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**Screenings:** During the next few months farmers will be transporting grain to the cleaning plant for cleaning. The grain or bulk screenings to be used as livestock feed. Many weed seeds will be scattered along the roadways if they are transported in an uncovered truck. These seeds are light and the air currents flowing over an open truck box will lift many of them off. They may fall on cleared snow and drift with the snow from the road onto cultivated fields.

Regulations under the Noxious Weed Act require that each person who intends to haul screenings from the cleaning plant to the farm will need a permit to do so or else keep themselves open to prosecution under the provisions of the Noxious Weed Act.

All screenings will be transported either in a tight grain box well covered with a tarpaulin or in bags. Those who are feeding screenings to livestock must have a feeding permit from the field supervisor or weed inspector for the area or from the Field Crop Branch, Alberta Department of Agriculture. Such a permit will not be issued unless the animals are fed in a proper enclosure and confined to a relatively small area.

We spend many dollars every year fighting weeds on farm lands. It is estimated that \$5.00 per acre per year is spent on control weed by chemical and cultural methods. This money will have to be spent annually if farmers continue to allow weed seeds to be scattered freely.

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WESTWARD HO CALF  
HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The Westward Ho Calf Club held its first meeting at Mr. Rock's. First on the agenda was the judging of beef cattle. The meeting was then opened with the reciting of the Four H Pledge. Minutes of the last meeting were read and discussed.

Peggy Rock gave a report on "Daily Feeding For A Calf." Jean Macleod gave a report on "The Prevention of Disease in Your Herd." Mr. Spooner thanked them for their good reports.

Mrs. Leslie Boden donated a lovely auto rug for the raffle to be held at the Harmattan hall, March 19. The raffle is going to guarantee \$25 worth of prizes to be raffled.

A discussion on the theme on the thematic display. Atlas Lumber Co. of Didsbury donated lumber to be used in the display.

Calvin Osborn was kind enough to invite the club to his place for the March 13 meeting.

Robert Ness and Alfred Jones

are to give reports at the next meeting.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

That increased wisdom and capability are available to all through obedience to God's spiritual laws will be brought out at Christian Science services on Sunday. The Lesson-Sermon entitled "Mind" includes the following admonition of Jesus: "Hear, O Israel! The Lord our God is One. And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might!" Deuteronomy 6: 4, 5.

Among the selections to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" is Mary Baker Eddy's with the following: "Man advanced a nation to the worship of God in Spirit instead of matter, and illustrated the grand human capacities of being bestowed by immortal Mind" (200: 4). The Golden Text is from Romans: "O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out!" (11: 33).

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**DISPOSE OF SURPLUS MEAT**

The federal government has disposed of all meat acquired in its price support operations following the outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease in Canada in February 1952. The last to go was nine million pounds of canned pork sold to a group of distributors with the understanding that it would be sold or bartered outside of Canada.

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**Former Resident Dies At Vernon**

Funeral services for Benjamin Sherk, 84-year-old retired farmer who died January 14, were held from the Vernon Presbyterian Home Chapel January 19 with Capt. Thomas Smith officiating. Burial was in Vernon cemetery.

Born in Waterloo, Ont., Mr. Sherk lived in the Vernon district for the past 17 years. Prior to going to Vernon, he lived 13 years in Vale of the Jarvis and Didsbury districts.

Since his wife's death in 1947, he had been residing with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. Sherk of Vernon.

He is survived by four sons, Lorne and George of Vernon and Lester and Cecil of California, and one daughter, Mrs. Lenore Lynes of Jarvis. There are 15 grandchildren, six of whom were active pallbearers at his funeral, and 38 great-grandchildren.

**Taxpayers First!**

Taxpayers should get the first break in any cut in defense costs. Non-defense spending is going up. The increase may be justifiable, but if we are approaching, as we certainly hope, a day when the defense establishment may be smaller, aren't we facing the prospect in an odd way and starting off on the wrong foot? Increasing our ordinary spending to more than take up any reduction in defense gets us nowhere in economy of government.

It's exactly like the housewife who, having saved dollars on the family's groceries, turns around and spends nine dollars on a hat she does not need or cannot afford.

Father (to thoughtful son): "A penny for your thoughts, Jimmy." Jimmy: "To tell the truth, Pop, I was thinking of a quarter."

**Notes From D.A.**

By Hugh McPhail

At a recent meeting in St. Catharines some interesting material on smut and seed dressings was presented. Here are some of the findings:

"Although smut diseases are still prevalent and destructive, the losses caused by them at present are negligible in comparison with the losses experienced before highly effective seed disinfectants were developed. During the early period of agricultural development in Western Canada, field of wheat with 40 per cent or more smut were not uncommon. Similar losses occurred in other cereal crops."

I only intend, here, to stress the importance of seed treatment. I have been asked how long can treated grain be safely stored and the treatment remain effective. The following is the answer given to that question referred to above:

The standard products, now available, appear safe on sound seed for periods up to six months, if such seed is stored under cool conditions, as is usually the case. It may be of interest that one well known producer of treated wheat in 1950, at 2½ cents per bushel, generated 90 to 95 per cent when examined three years later."

Machacek has recently reported that for the control of smut in wheat, oats and barley mercurial treatments require up to eight days.

**DATES SET FOR LACOMBE SPRING SALE**

The directors of the Central Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association have set the dates for the Lacombe Spring Bull Sale as follows:

May 27, Shorthorns; May 28, Aberdeen-Angus; June 1, 2 and 3, Herefords. Bulls entered must be born on or after June 1, 1951 and on or before May 1, 1952.

As in previous years, this sale will also be open to females. Entry forms for this sale will be available in the near future and entries will close April 1st.



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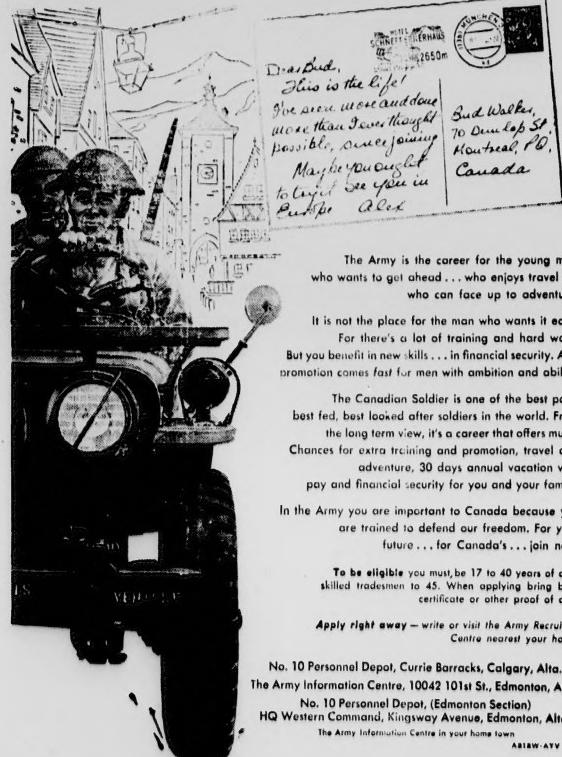
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**DISTRICT NEWS****Bancroft W.I.  
February Meeting**

A song and repeating of the creed, opened the February meeting of the Bancroft W.I. at the home of Mrs. H. R. Turner.

Six members answered the roll call by naming a product on the pantry shelf and telling where it came from. Minutes of the January meeting were read and approved. Material to make nylon corsets was to be purchased. Donations for the Old Folks' Home were turned in.

A news letter from Miss Dixon, home economist, was read and letters from Mrs. Tait and Mrs. Hoag, giving information about the bi-annual conference at Drumheller in March.

It was decided to make a quilt from the material that was left over from the girls' club skirts.

Plans were made for a dance, the date of which will be announced later.

Mrs. Gwen Ware of London, Ont., won the tea prize.

Mrs. R. Fisher won the prize for making the best valentine. A valentine exchange was then held.

**Midway News**

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hauser, Don and Joy, were Sunday visitors with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ohlhausen of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Toews of Calmar were Sunday visitors with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. McNeely. Maxwell Simpson was also a visitor at the McNeelys home.

Mr. Harold Swanson was a business visitor in Calgary on Monday and Tuesday.

A nice crowd turned out Wednesday evening at the Bancroft school for a pot-luck supper and the annual meeting of the United Church. Pilms were also shown.

Mrs. R. McNeely and Delores attended a funeral in Calgary on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hockin were Friday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Yellowlee.

**CARD OF THANKS**

The Kirby family wish to express thanks to all their friends for kindness and sympathy extended to them, also to the doctors and nurses of the Didsbury hospital, during the illness and passing of our beloved brother, James Foster Kirby.

**M.V.B.C. NEWS**

This last week has been quite eventful. Seven very nice functions and gatherings marked the closing days of the week.

On Friday evening the class in religious education put on a program of interest to the Sunday school teachers of the United Missionary Church. About 40 persons were in attendance. The program included a seat-table discussion of the junior department of a Sunday school, led by Earl Reiner. About nine persons took part and their discussions were most profitable.

Helen Archer presented a table talk illustrated with materials that brought out the visual aid idea for June.

The story was on Gideon and his man who overcame the enemy in early Bible history.

Earl Reiner played a medley of children's songs on his piano. The last number was a skit illustrating what attitudes Sunday school teachers may have and how a good Sunday school superintendent can overcome wrong attitudes in his teachers.

Oke played the part of superintendent. Kathleen Whiteford was the disgruntled teacher who learned her lesson well, and Nora Pollock was the reader filling in the information necessary for the story. This class is taught by Miss Giselle Giesler. At the end of the evening Mr. H. H. Oke, superintendent of the United Missionary S.S. expressed his appreciation, and the class members served refreshments.

On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stauffer entertained the members of the senior class. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rev. and Mrs. R. Shantz and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eby at supper. This has become something of a tradition with these friends as they entertain students and faculty each year.

Miss Florence Finlay, returned missionary from Nigeria, West Africa, lectured in the College for the past week. She is a son of the president and his wife, and a good friend of faculty members.

It has been a pleasure to have her with us, and as she has been speaking in the chapel each day, much light has come to all who have been considering the conditions on a mission field and the necessary preparation of individuals for the great work of missions.

Several Gospel teams took services in the following churches: Rossclair, Parkdale, Redwater, north of Edmonton. Another group went to Mountain View church for the first time. Several local students went to Bergen to enjoy the services with the pastor and people there on Sunday evening.

The phone has been installed in Emerald Garratt's apartment. This will greatly facilitate his work as he continues his studies from day to day. He is busily engaged and is enjoying his work here.

The board of directors of Mountain View Bible College will hold their annual board meeting Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. At this meeting all financial matters will be considered, and faculty re-engaged and matters of business concluded for the year. The members come from different parts of the constituency of the United Missionary Church.

**FEBRUARY MEETING OF WESTCOTT JUNIOR W.I.**

The February meeting of the Westcott Junior W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. B. Rinehart on Feb. 9, with 12 members and two visitors.

Roll call was answered with a home-made valentine. The evening was spent working on an appliqued quilt.

The bread contest was won by Mrs. Bill Bogner with Mrs. Dubois and Allen Konzschuh, second and third.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Cliff Murphy, March 10 at 8 p.m.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Dr. McKenzie and Mrs. Turner and all the staff who did so much to make my recent stay in the hospital a pleasant one. I would also like to thank all those who sent cards and flowers. They were very much appreciated.

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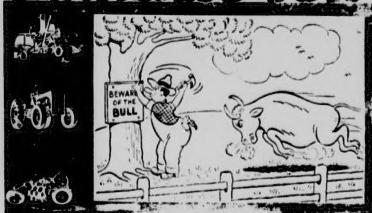
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**NOTICE**

A MEETING OF THE ELECTORS OF THE GRAND CENTRE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 643, WILL BE HELD AT THE GRAND CENTRE SCHOOL, ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26th, at 10:30 a.m., to discuss the disposal of the school buildings.

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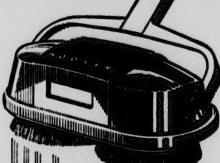
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## Little Items of Local Interest

A farewell party was held at the George Law home Saturday evening for Bobby Dunsmuir, recent R.C.N. recruit, who leaves shortly to commence training at Cornwallis, Nova Scotia. \*

Get your good used clothing and toys, which you are not using, in good shape please. The Junior C.G.I.T. girls will be calling for it on Saturday, Feb. 20. The above will be turned over to the W.M.F. to send to Korea. \*

Mrs. William Houston of Castlegar, B.C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. N. Boettger. \*

Mrs. J. W. Rupp received word last week of the sudden death of her brother, Mr. Frank Waters, of Chico, California. \*

Knox United W.A.'s held a very successful Valentine tea Saturday in the Lions hall. Proceeds of \$110 will be turned over to the manne fund. \*

Mrs. L. Krueger of Calgary is visiting with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. H. Ringheim. \*

Dolores Hadaver, Greta Kershaw, Don Freeman, Jim Jackson and Bob Jackson motored to Banff on Sunday to attend the Winter Carnival. \*

Misses Melva and Jean Ringheim of Calgary are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ringheim. \*

Mrs. E. Fleming, who has been visiting friends at Consort, returned last Thursday to visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Thring. \*

Mr. George Thring is a business visitor in Edmonton this week. \*

Dr. R. E. McNaughton is attending a training program on poliomyelitis at the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton until Sunday, Feb. 21. \*

### SHOWER HELD FOR MRS. DON LUFT

On Wednesday afternoon last a number of ladies met at the home of Mrs. Joe Luft for a shower in honor of Mrs. Don Luft (Jane Budden). After much merriment and laughter over games and contests, Eva Blain presented the honored guest with a gift of a kitchen set and a purse of money. Mrs. Luft thanked the ladies and a delicious lunch was served with Mrs. Ed Blain and Mrs. Eva Blain assisting. \*

### BIRTHS AT THE DIDSBURY MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Lester Krebs of Didsbury, on Feb. 15, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wood of Carstairs, on Feb. 15, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rene Kambouroff of Carstairs, on Feb. 15, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lougheed of Bergen, on Feb. 15, a daughter.

### MELVIN NOTES

From Our Own Correspondent

The February meeting of the Melvin W.I. was held last week at the home of Mrs. E. Youngs with a very good attendance. Refreshments were an original Valentine verse.

The program for the coming year was taken down and program booklets were to be finished for the March meeting.

Those having wool or cotton materials to be made into blankets are to bring them to the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Summers.

Alas, please note:

(1) Woolen blankets cost from \$2 to \$4.00. Even small amounts of material are acceptable providing all tags and bindings are removed; (2) Cotton materials are accepted and these must be ripped flat; (4) Freight is free one way on 100-pound lots.

Mrs. R. McNaughton, Mrs. Dubois and Mrs. E. Dupont Jr. judged the last Melvin bread. Mrs. E. Krebs and Mrs. L. Chandler receiving 1st and 2nd places.

There will be a Christmas card scrapbook contest at the March meeting and these books will be for use in the children's wards of hospitals.

Lunch was served at the close of the meeting when the delicious home-made bread was sampled. \*

Mrs. McNaughton's mother has been on the sick list lately and at present is with Mrs. McNaughton. We wish her a speedy return to good health.

A number of young children and their mothers spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. Fischer when Miss Janie was hostess at a Valentine party. The children enjoyed games and stories and received gifts and favors. Lunch time brought delicious treats, including ice cream.

The sympathy of the district goes out to the McInnes family in their recent sad bereavement.

## Coming Events

Midway Annual Bonspiel, Feb. 22. The event will be held at the Jutland 4-H Club Hall at the Lone Pine hall on Feb. 19 at 8 p.m. Everyone is welcome. \*

There will be a box social and entertainment by the Jutland 4-H Club at the Lone Pine Hall on Feb. 19 at 8 p.m. Everyone is welcome. \*

The W.I. will hold an organization meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed Blain in Didsbury, Friday, Feb. 18. All ladies welcome. \*

Annual meeting of Lone Pine hall board will be held March 1, 1954 at 8 p.m. \*

Knox United W.A. evening group will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. Hazel Ingles on Monday, Feb. 22. \*

Valentine tea at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Saturday, Feb. 20 from 3 to 5 p.m. Tea 35¢ coffee 50¢ for more. Also sale of home baking and sewing. Sponsored by Lutheran Ladies' Aid. Everyone welcome. \*

Regular Lions Club meeting, 6:45 Thursday night. C.P.R. pictures will be shown following the business session. \*

## ZELLA NEWS NOTES

From Our Own Correspondent

(Intended For Last Week)

(Continued from page 1) capacity was enjoyed a W.I. craft evening when 15 tables of whist were played at the school Friday. Mrs. E. N. Johnstone and Mrs. Joe White were co-hostesses. Honors went to Mrs. John Hansen and Edward Waldroff with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ness winning consolation prizes. Mrs. Anna Eggington was the runner-up. Mrs. Wilfred Spooner and Mrs. Dick Nelson will be the next co-hostesses on Friday night, Feb. 19, at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harder entertained relatives and friends at a party on Saturday evening, Feb. 6, the occasion being their 33rd wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Oppen returned on Saturday from a month's visit at Camrose. They were accompanied to Didsbury by Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sjeldal and Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sjeldal, all of Kingman, who spent the weekend visiting at Zella.

(This Week)

On Friday afternoon, the teacher Mrs. Grange, school children and pre-school children enjoyed a Valentine party.

Rev. C. C. Armstrong will hold services at the school on Sunday, Feb. 21 at 10 a.m. Sunday school will follow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Christensen motored to Ponoka on Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. Svensenius, formerly of Orlids, and they also took in the Olds-Ponoka hockey game.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eggington on the birth of a daughter in Olds hospital Friday, Feb. 12.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of thanking Dr. Aquith, the ladies of Knox United W.A. and the Evangelical W.A. friends and neighbors for the care and kindness shown me during my recent illness.

MRS. GEORGE WATSON

## LOCAL RESIDENTS CELEBRATE 45TH ANNIVERSARY

On Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Boettger celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary, at which time a number of relatives and friends gathered at their home for the occasion.

Those present were Mrs. Houston of Castlegar, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Boettger, Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Boettger, Eekville; Mrs. Wm. Eickmeier and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Flinn and son Keith, Mayton;

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Liesemer, Calgary; Mr. J. V. Berscht, Mr. Harry Gabell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cogswell and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Scheidt, all of Didsbury.

A very enjoyable evening was spent after which a delightful lunch was served.

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